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RAILROAD RATE BILL PRESENTED

TILLMAN MAKES REPORT TO SENATE.

Statement of Court Review Features and Other Differences Which Made Unanimous Committee Report Impossible.

Washington, March 15.—Senator Tillman to day presented to the senate his report from the committee on interstate commerce on the house railroad rate bill, hich expressed his views but did not pretend to speak for any other member of the committee. It embodied the first clear and concise statement of the differences concerning the court review features and other proposed amendments that had made a unanimous report from the committee impossible.

Without hesitancy the senator declared it to be his belief that the bill should be amended, but that amendments should not be of a character to impair or prevent the accomplishment of the objects of the legislation, which are set forth best, he says, in the president's message to congress. He emphasized the need of regarding the measure as non partisan, but predicted that the issue created will be paramount in the next presidential election. As to the effect he said:

"Those who are responsible for delay or inadequate legislation will find that when at last the flood gates of popular wrath and indignation are hoisted, there will have been some fine grinding done."

Mr. Tillman prefaced his report by speaking of the peculiar circumstances ruling the committee's actions on the house bill, which made it an embarrassing task to submit views that would be concurred in by the committee as a whole. Commenting upon the absence of harmony in the committee's deliberations, the report says:

"Instead of being amended in committee, as is usual, so as to command as a whole the endorsement and support of a majority of its members, the bill was brought into the senate in a form not entirely satisfactory to more than two members. Party lines in the committee were broken down and the bill is then senate by reason of the union of five members of the minority party and three members of the majority party in congress, who concurred in reporting it favorably; and while these eight senators are agreed as to the general purpose and scope of the bill, there are radical differences among them as to the amendments that ought to be incorporated in it to make it fully adequate to meet the demands of the business interests of the country at this time.

"This lack of harmony among the supporters of the bill—it would be speaking with more accuracy to say the supporters of the policy involved in the bill—brings about the anomalous situation in which a member of the minority party in congress is put in charge in the senate of proposed legislation which is generally regarded throughout the country as the cherished scheme of the president, with whose general policy and principals that member is not in accord. At the same time the bill is designed to carry into effect his long-cherished convictions and the three-reiterated demands of the party to which he belongs."

Emphasizing the claim that this condition is without precedent in legislative history, Mr. Tillman says it brings into prominence the fact that the proposed legislation is non-partisan and is so recognized as a result of the unanimous support given it by the minority in the house and the few opposing votes—only seven—in that entire body. "It therefore follows," says Tillman, "if events shall prove that this measure has broken down party lines in both branches of congress, that the conclusion will be almost inevitable that it will be framed so as to accomplish the results intended or claimed to be intended by both parties, and to this end Democrats and Republicans alike should bend all their energies and lend all that is best in them to perfecting and passing so important a piece of legislation."

There would follow "a cyclone of passionate resentment," said Tillman in predicting what would be the result of failure on the part of congress to meet the widespread demand for railroad rate legislation. He declared that "woe will be the harvest" of any member of the senate or house whose work in formulating a bill to regulate railroads lacks earnestness or honesty of purpose, and who shall seek to belittle the question or kill the bill by subterfuge and deception. The constitution gives to congress the power to regulate the railroads, he contended, and there are many wrongs to right.

The bill as it came from the house, Mr. Tillman characterized as loosely worded and capable of different interpretations. Discussing the alleged inadequacy of the measure, he said it is "the duty of the senate to make such amendments as shall produce the best possible law and relieve the distress and wrong, the existence of which no one will deny." In thus commenting on the bill, Mr. Tillman said he can claim to give expression to no opinion except his own. The object sought he added, best can be outlined in the language of the president in his last annual message to congress, and from this the senator quoted extensively.

Mr. Tillman pointed out that it is generally supposed that the pending measure embodies the "well digested views of the executive and those of his party whose advice he consents to take." After enumerating the essential changes from the existing laws regulating interstate commerce, he stated that the most important is found in section 15, in which power is sought to be vested in the interstate commerce commission "after full hearing upon a complaint made, to determine and prescribe what will in its judgment be the just and reasonable and fairly remunerative rate" * * to be thereafter observed in such case as the maximum to be charged, "and to make an order that the same shall go into effect and remain in force for three years," which order shall "go into effect thirty days after notice to the carrier and shall remain in force and be observed by the carrier, unless the same shall be suspended or modified or set aside by the commission, or be suspended or set aside by a court of competent jurisdiction." Concerning this section Mr. Tillman said:

"Around the first provision the most earnest and exciting contention has arisen and there is great difference of opinion as to the scope of this clause and the executive powers of the commission under it. On the one hand, it is claimed most positively that congress can not delegate its powers to the commission and thus authorize it to fix a rate; while on the other hand, it is asserted with equal earnestness and force that this power is indisputable. Whatever may be the results of this discussion in the senate, if the bill becomes a law, the final determination of the question at issue must be made b the supreme court. There is even greater solicitude upon the question of judicial review

"The friends of the proposed legislation are equally earnest with its opponents in desiring to throw every protection around the billions of capital invested in railways of the United States." Mr. Tillman added that at the same time the cries of the people are demanding relief for producers and shippers. He declared that it is the duty of congress to hold an even balance between these conflicting and contending interests. Friends of the railroads contend, urged Mr. Tillman, that congress can not limit the jurisdiction of the circuit courts, while, on the other hand, he added, "it is asserted with equal emphasis that the power to create all courts, other than the supreme court, rests alone in congress, and that such courts being statutory, are necessarily limited in their scope and power by the authority which creates them."

He continued: "I myself incline most confidently to this view and have not the slightest doubt that it is possible to properly amend this bill so as to prohibit the circuit courts from interfering with the orders of the interstate commerce commission by any interlocutory order. As has already been observed in connection with the power to fixe rates, this question also must be determined by the supreme court should the proposed law be enacted.

"The senate must determine for its vote what shall be its attitude upon the questions of court review and interlocutory suspensions. The whole question at issue as to giving relief to the producing interests of the country revolves around this feature of the bill. If any decision of the supreme court shall declare that congress is powerless to grant speedy relief through a commission, it needs no prophet to tell that an outburst of surprise and indignation will sweep over the country."

Commenting on the gross earnings and the net earnings of railroad properties, Mr. Tillman said that once a year every dollar in the United tates passes through the hands of the railroads and every three years becomes a part of their net earnings. He asked if it is any wonder that the railroads have the most brilliant legal minds at their command to conduct legislation, and asserted the struggle is between man and money—citizenship and capital. The final outcome, he stated, will determine whether the people are capable of self-government and can transmit to posterity the priceless heritage handed handed down by our ancestors. He discussed at length the buildings of great fortunes and the manipulations of great properties. Summing up the situation, he said: "It is impossible to deny that this great accumulation of wealth in the hands of the few is such a menace to liberty that the honest patriot stands appalled by the outlook."

After commenting at length upon what he declared to be the existing system of juggling with railroad properties "for the robbery of the masses," Mr. Tillman stated that this phase of the subject brings into great prominence and importance "the relation to congress of the increase in capitalization; whether it is the purpose of congress to compel the business industries to pay dividends not upon the real value of these properties but upon the fictitious value which has been sought to be placed upon them by the increased capitalization."

Concerning the application of the bill to this subject he said: "There is a dangerous provision in this bill which in my judgment, ought to be stricken out, and that is in section 15, where the interstate commerce commission is told 'to determine and prescribe what will, in its judgment, be the just and reasonable and fairly remunerative rate,' etc. The last words are too elastic and ambiguous and can be construed to mean too much that it would be harmful and dangerous for congress to enact into a law. 'Fairly remunerative rate' on what; the actual value or the fictitious value of the properties? Are railroads which now pay no dividends because of the immense amount of watered stock to be allowed to compel the producers who use their lines to pay a dividend on the excessive capitalization? Is congress willing to lend itself to the scheme of the railroad magnates who have brought about this condition wherein they levy tribute on the business industries of the country and compel the payment of the pound of flesh?"

Mr. Tillman declared there can be no justice in compelling the people as a whole to pay dividends on watered stock primarily to increase the fortunes of men already too rich. He contended that 'the poor dupes' who have been led to invest their savings in such stocks can better afford to lose those earnings than to have the labor of the country saddled with the burden of paying perpetual tribute in the shape of dividends on dishonest valuations.

"Whatever else congress does or fails to do," he added, "the producers of the country should be relieved from such danger of being compelled to make good the values of overcapitalized railroads as lurks in this innocent looking and plausible provision about 'fairly remunerative rates.'"

Mr. Tillman recommended that amendments to the bill be adopted which would give relief to "the anomalous and outrageous condition of affairs disclosed as existing in West Virginia.

Continuing he said: "Vested with the rights of eminent domain to construct their lines and granted liberal franchises and charters, the railroads designed to be public carriers for the benefit of the whole people, in the last few years have become rapidly transformed into the veriest band of robbers and highwaymen who do not thrust their pistols in the faces of their victims and demand money or their lives, but who levy tribute in freight rates which are as high as the traffic will bear, deny access to market, monopolize with brazen effrontery one of the prime necessaries of life—coal—and in every way show their absolute contempt for the people and the people's rights.

"We should incorporate in the bill an amendment which will compel all railroads to make connections with any and every railroad, public or private, and grant just and fair traffic arrangements; also a provision to divorce absolutely the business of transporting freight as a public carrier and the business of producing freight to be transported."

Mr. Tillman concluded with "a word of caution to the friends of the proposed legislation." He said:

"Our full expectations may not be realized at the present session of congress. The opponents of effective legislation are alert, have had large experience, and are thoroughly organized.

"The demand of the people for relief from the oppressions and wrongs they now endure may be thwarted by the great influence of the railroad corporations. This influence has hitherto been paramount, and its representatives in the two houses may feel that it is safe to refuse to redress the grievances and to continue the policy of non-interference. They may ignore popular clamor and either pass no bill at all or enact one that will prove wholly inadequate. They may palter with us in a double sense:

"'Keep the word of promise to the ear
And break it to the hope.'

"Such action on their part will, in my judgment, be very unwise, and will only dam up the water. The issue will be made the paramount one in the next election, and those who are responsible for delay or inadequate legislation will find that when at last the flood gates of popular wrath and indignation are hoisted there will be some fine grinding done. If those most interested in these great properties will not consent to wise legislation to relieve the distress of the people, there is danger of more radical policies and leaders coming to the front, with the result that legislation far more drastic and dangerous than anything proposed in this bill and the amendments to be offered will be enacted."

DEATHS.

New York, March 15.—John Ingraham Dunn, for years financial editor of the New York Press, is dead, aged 40 years

HAMILTON TELLS STORY

APPEARS BEFORE THE INSURANCE COMMITTEE.

Intensely Dramatic Scene is Witnessed. Denounces Bitterly the Trustees of the New York Life Company.

Albany, N. Y., March 15.—Andrew Hamilton appeared before the insurance investigating committee this afternoon and broke the silence which he has maintained, except for his statement brought from Paris by John C. McCall, ever since his name was first mentioned in the investigation in connection with the great sums of money shown to have been paid to him during the past ten years on account of his legal and legislative work for the New York Life and other insurance companies.

It would be difficult to exaggerate the sensation produced by his unexpected appearance and by the speech which he made, or the intensely dramatic character of the whole episode. His face flushed and his voice trembled with passion, his arms upraised and his fists clenched. Judge Hamilton poured forth a flux of denunciation and invective upon the members of the board of trustees of the New York Life Insurance company, several of whom were present, designating them as "curs and traitors," and paying especial attention to one unnamed whom he described as the Pecksniff of three administrations, confidant of the Beers' scandal and author of the Beers' pension—who rotates through one administration after another, and thinks that he is going to be an indispensible member of yet another

"And do you think," he demanded, "that the man who held the same relation to Beers that I did to McCall could sit for thirteen years and not know how the expenditures that were made were to be and were disbursed? Yet he, and such like him, sit, not judging me as peers, but judging me as conquerors, talking about 'yellow dogs.'"

The only name he mentioned was that of the late President McCall in reference to whom and to whose death he displayed marked emotion. He spoke of McCall as a victim, as having been shoulder-ed with the blame—"the only one, the dead man, killed, that they drove to his grave and deserted," and declared that the memory of this man had appealed to him "to come down here and say something for him and just a word for myself."

He declared unequivocally that every payment to himself by the New York Life was made with the knowledge and approval of the trustees, especially of the finance and auditing committees. He pointed out that if there had been anything the matter with his vouhers for these payments, it was their duty to bring him to book for it—"yet," he said, "month after month, and year after year for ten years they passed them and then when the cry at last came out, they say: 'Well, we did not know anything about it; this is the fellow, this is the man that has done it all.' When they say they did not know what was going on its excites my laughter and derision."

He declared again and again that the payments were proper and legitimate and that he had no apology to make for himself or for President McCall. One of his most interesting statements was that in spite of reports to the contrary, the so-called "Paris account" was actually reported and approved by the auditing committee. The first applause from the great crowd that filled the assembly chamber as soon as the fact of Judge Hamilton's presence became known about the building broke out with a roar of laughter, after his reference to the enthusiasm with which he said his victories for the New York Life were received by the officials of the company.

"They would come and pat me on the back," he said, with a bitter sneer, "these men who would not know me now; they would come and pat me on the back and say 'you did it did.,'" A storm of applause followed his scathing to the "yellow dog" as a dog of loyalty and courage. "But the curs who stood around this funeral that has occurred, the curs who know of these transactions and shrunk into their shoes—they are the curs—and that is the reason that I come before you and say that the great interest in the two billion dollars of life insurance and four hundred million dollars of assets can never be safely entrusted to the hands and administration of a lot of curs."

This was the ostensible purpose of Hamilton's appearance before the committee—to advocate the pending bill of the committee which would legislate the present boards of direction out of office and provide for complete reorganization in November next.

Hamilton's appearance was totally unexpected by the committee and he declared both in his speech and to friends before and after it was almost as much so to himself—that it was only at luncheon to day that the impulse seized him to come before the committee and have his say in favor of the bill referred to with a word for President McCall and for himself. He arrived unannounced not long after 4 o'clock, sat back in the room and for a time was recognized only by one or two newspaper men. Interest was intense as he passed down amid silence to his place before the committee.

Among those who sat near as he began his bitter arraignment of the New York Life Trustees were the following members of the board: Rufus S. Weeks, vice president and actuary; T. A. Buckner, vice president; D. B. Kingsley, vice president; John C. McCall, secretary, and J. H. McIntosh.

Judge Hamilton's attack upon the trustees of the New York Life was made the more dramatic by the fact that he immediately followed J. H. McIntosh, general solicitor of that company, who had been eulogizing the members of that board and challenging any man to give reasons why they should be removed from office as contemplated by the pending legislation.

HELD FOR MURDER

Alton Saloon Keeper Accused of Killing Two Fishermen.

Alton, Ill., March 15.—The coroner's jury to day held Joseph Nolan, a saloonkeeper, on a charge of killing Fred Heintz and William Sonnett, fishermen, who were found riddled with shotgun wounds near the Edwardsville crossing last Tuesday. Their companion, "Skippy" Steffen, who was arrested in St. Louis, and whose evidence at the inquest implicated Nolan, was released. Nolan denies his guilt.

RESOLUTION DEFEATED

New York, March 15. A resolution offered in the Republican county committee of New York county to night, calling upon Senators Platt and Depew to resign their seats in the United States senate, was defeated by the adoption of a motion to lay it on the table. Its reading created a sensation. The demand for the resignation was based upon the recent insurance investigation in this state.

INHUMAN TREATMENT

How a 17 Year Old Russian Girl Was Dealt With by Authorities.

St. Petersburg, March 15.—The procurator of Tamboff has investigated the case of Mlle. Spiridonovo, the 17-year-old girl who shot M. Luzhenoffsky, chief of the secret police of Tamboff, and who, it is alleged, was treated in prison with extreme cruelty. The procurator found the allegations correct.

On Feb. 25 a letter from the girl was published in St. Petersburg, in which the writer alleged that after her arerst for shoooting Luzhenoffsky she was knocked down and beaten by Cossacks with whips and rifle butts. She was then dragged by her hair flownstairs to a sleigh, taken to the police station and thrust into a damp, cold cell, where she was subjected to eleven hours of torment in order to force her to reveal the names of her accomplices. She added that two officers repeatedly dragged her back and forth across her cell, tearing her hair, burning her flesh with their cigarets and threatened her with abandonment to the Cossacks unless she confessed. Her skull was fractured in two places, one eye injured and her body was a mass of bruises from head to foot.

APPOINTED APPRAISER

Expert Examiner to Decide the Value of the Estate of the Late Marshall Field.

Chicago, March 15.—Arthur L. Currey, special national bank examiner, was appointed appraiser of the estate of the late Marshall Field by Judge Carter to day. Currey will make an examination of the estate at the time of Field's death to enable the court to determine the amount of inheritance tax due the state. Currey was the official whose examination of the books of the Chicago National bank led to the recent action against John R. Walsh. It is estimated that the Field estate will produce the largest inheritance tax ever received by any state.

SHOOTING TOURNAMENT.

Des Moines, Iowa, March 15.—John Burmeister of Spirit Lake, won the Ottumwa diamond badge handicap event at the Iowa state shoot to day. L. R. Barker, of the Watson Gun club, Chicago, was high gun in the amateur class in the second day's shoot, scoring 189 out of 200. He was beaten for high gun by W. R. Crosby of O'Fallon, Ill., an expert, who scored 190.

Fred Gilbert of Spirit Lake, champion trap shot of the world, was elected president of the Iowa association. Gilbert is sick at his home with rheumatism and may never shoot again.

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CANAL ZONE GOVERNMENT

SENATE COMMITTEE CONSIDERING BILL.

Similar to One Offered Last Year but which Failed to Pass—House Proceedings—Other Washington News.

Washington, March 15.—With the type of the canal and method of construction yet undetermined, the senate committee on interoceanic canals has under consideration a bill to provide for a government canal zone and other matters subject to legislative control. The draft which is before the committee in the form of a confidential print, was prepared by Senator Kittredge and is similar to the one offered a year ago, which failed to pass because of the controversy over the size and personnel of the canal commission. The bill authorized the president to delegate to the commission power to make and enforce regulations necessary for the government of the zone, but reserves to both the president and either house of congress the right to require full and complete reports from the commission or employes annually or at any other period. The same methods of estimating expenditures and appropriations are applied to canal work as are required of the various legislative departments

The offices of administration shall be located and maintained in the canal zone and it is required that so far as practicable the work of the commission shall be concentrated there.

Federal laws relating to employes outside the boundaries of the United States are applied to employes in the canal zone, but the bill leaves for consideration of the commission the percentum increase allowed in the case of clerks exclusively employed within the zone.

Separate accounts are required of the funds of the Panama Railway company and expenditures for administration of the canal zone and construction of the canal. All franchises or concessions must be approved by the president, but congress retains powers of modification or revocation.

The circuit court of appeals for the second judicial district is given jurisdiction over all civil cases appealed from the courts of the canal zone, to be established under general authority given by the president to the commission. Extradition treaties between the United States and foreign countries are extended to the zone.

Senator Kittredge also has submitted to the committee a bill amending the act providing for construction of the canal so as to decrease the commission to three members. The commissioners, under this bill, would receive such salaries as the president directed until salaries are fixed by congress.

SENATE.

The senate continued discussion of the railroad rate legislation by listening to the reading of the report on the house bill by Tillman and to a speech on that measure by Nelson. Tillman's report was read at the request of Aldrich, who said he was curious to hear the opinion of the South Carolina senator.

Brief attention was given the message of the president transmitting a letter of the secretary of war relative to the recent Moro battle. Bacon spoke of the killing of Moros as "slaughter," and Lodge deprecated criticism until the facts should be known.

The house resolution giving the interstate commerce commission authority to administer oaths in connection with its investigation of charges of discrimination made against railroads, was adopted without reporting to the formality of requiring its reference to a committee.

Stone's resolution directing inquiry into the postoffice department rulings on the admission of college publications to the mails as second class matter also was adopted.

A large number of private pension bills and some other semi-private bills were passed.

The senate adjourned until Monday.

THE RATE BILL.

If a compromise is effected in the senate on the railroad rate bill, the indications are that it will be in the nature of a time limit on suspension of orders of the interstate commerce commission. Several senators said to day that if they thought a review by the courts could be facilitated in such a manner as would insure the protection of the interests of shippers the judicial review feature could be adopted. Various rate bills containing provisions for review by the courts of the orders of the commission declare appeals from the commission shall receive preference over causes in the circuit court. It is argued that congress should provide that the decision could be returned within a stated period from the date of appeal, and in that manner the suspension of the order of the commission could be brought down to the minimum.

EMPLOYE BILL.

Senator LaFollette to day introduced a bill making it the duty of the interstate commerce commission to prescribe the maximum number of hours above which a common carrier shall not require or permit employes to remain on duty. The purpose of the bill is to promote the safety of employes and travelers upon railroads.

CAPITAL NOTES.

The house committee on Indian affairs decided to report favorably to day on the bill authorizing the sale of 50,000 acres on the lower Brulé reservation in South Dakota.

The senate in executive session to day confirmed the appointment of Robert Culvert to be surveyor of customs at the port of La Crosse, Wis.

PAY CHECK FORGERS

Men Recently Arrested in Dayton, Ohio, Make Confession.

Chicago, March 15.—Charles White, recently arrested in Dayton, Ohio, and Jeff Davis and George Grant, who also have been arrested on a charge of being members of a gang of forgers, were to day taken to the office of Police Inspector Lavin, where Grant and White confessed their forgeries. Davis would make no confession and declared that he did not know either White or Grant. According to the confessions forgeries of pay checks brought $1,400 in various Indiana towns; $1,000 in St. Louis; $3,500 in Cincinnati; $1,500 in Joliet, and $1,000 from the Illinois Steel company in South Chicago.

STATE CONVENTION DATE.

Springfield, Ill., March 15.—The Republican state convention will be held May 16th at Springfield to nominate the state ticket.

MINERS RE-CONVENE

Meeting in Special Session at Indianapolis—Little Accomplished First Day.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 15. The international executive board of the United Mine Workers of America, at a meeting this evening following adjournment of the national convention, approved the finding of President Mitchell in the matter of ousting Patrick Dolan from the presidency of district No. 5, western Pennsylvania, and the report of the board to morrow will confirm the ousting of Dolan by the convention of district No. 5, and the appointment of three members of the executive board to take charge of the district's affairs until the office is filled by a special election. After a heated discussion lasting three hours, behind closed doors, in which Dolan's claims were argued by himself and Uriah Bellingham, vice president of the district, who was also ousted from his office, the board voted unanimously to sustain the action of the national president and the district convention.

Little was accomplished by the special national convention of the United Mine Workers to day beyond the organization of delegates and appointment of committees. President Mitchell delivered his address, in which he explained the reasons for calling the extraordinary meeting and counselled conservative procedure in the effort to preserve peace in the coal industry. According to authoritative reports, the Ohio operators have determined to abolish the check-off system, by which the operators collect dues for the miners' organization and which the operators allege is the backbone of the union. According to the report they will sign no agreement that does not carry a provision abrogating this arrangement.

At the meeting of the anthracite scale committee to night President Mitchell presented the report of the sub-committee, including the reply of the operators which declared negotiations at an end. The scale committee decided to recall the anthracite convention and submit a detailed report of their proceedings and ask for further instructions.

WALSH CREDITORS

May Decide on Price for Sale of Railroad.

New York, March 15—Representatives of the Chicago clearing house committee, which has charge of the affairs of John R. Walsh, the insolvent banker of that city, were in conference here to day with the heads of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railway, the Pennsylvania railroad and the Rock Island company. The conference had to do with the sale of the Walsh railroad properties, the Indiana Southern and the Chicago Southern railroads. It is understood that the Chicago committee fixed $25,000,000 as the minimum price and that the offer of the railroads is near $20,000,000. The offer is to be submitted to the creditors without delay.

FOR CHICAGO UNIVERSITY

Ann Arbor, Mich., March 15.—Prof. Andrew C. McLaughlin, head of the American history department of the University of Michigan, has been offered the chair of history at the University of Chicago

FIGHT IT OUT WITH SENATE

REPUBLICANS STAND BY STATEHOOD BILL.

Action Taken at Caucus Which Lasted Two and Half Hours—Speeches Made for and Against Action Adopted.

Washington, March 15.—As the result of a caucus which lasted two hours and a half to day, the Republicans of the house voted 126 to 35 to stand by the statehood bill as it passed the house and ask the senate for a conference on the measure.

This vote followed immediately after a resolution offered by Mondell of Wyoming, representing the "insurgents," had been defated, 123 to 43. The Mondell resolution was to agree to the senate amendment eliminating Arizona and New Mexico from the bill and asking a conference on minor amendments in the measure.

Several speeches were made. They were limited to five minutes each, but in the case of Speaker Cannon and Hamilton of Michigan, chairman of the committee on territories, the time was extended.

Hamilton opened the discussion with a plea for the original house bill. He said it had already been endorsed by three Republican conferences. He discussed and opposed the Forker amendment, declaring it to be in the interest of corporations in the two territories affected. He contended that the bill was supported by the president and by Speaker Cannon. "Let us follow them and fight it out with the senate," was his concluding admonition.

Mondell, in offering his proposition for concurrence, paid a high tribute to the speaker, but declared those who opposed his position were only acting in accordance with their duty. He discussed the binding effect of the caucus and declared he should not be bound by this one.

The speaker followed, touching first on the binding effect of both caucuses and conferences. He took the position that where the party took action on any matter of this nature all members participating were bound by that action. He made the point that there were twenty residents of Oklahoma and Indian Territory who objected to being tied together where there was one in Arizona and New Mexico. He admitted he was being deluged with telegrams on behalf of Oklahoma. He contended that the effect of admitting Oklahoma and the Indian Territory at this time and not disposing of Arizona and New Mexico only means that there would be four new senators from Arizona and New Mexico instead of but two, in case the house stood firm. "I wish to God," he remarked, "that the senate was twice as good as it is. It performs its functions fully well—it's our senate." But to add four senators where but two should be added, he declared, would give the senate too much influence, as compared with the house, based on population.

Reviewing the legislation before congress, he said the rate bill would pass; that if the house would stand firm, its statehood bill would also become a law, "and we can stay here three months," he declared. Addressing the "insurgents," he added: "Why join the Democracy, in order to have your own way?"

The speaker then turned his face toward the senate and remarked: "On what meat doth this our Caesar feed, that it had grown so great? My judgment is that the statehood bill will come as the house bill contemplates."

Babcock of Wisconsin followed. He at once accused the leaders with being eager enough to join with the Democrats on the Philippine bill, and we are now criticising those who intended joining them on statehood. "You have fooled the members by calling it a conference," he continued, "when you knew if you called it a caucus you would not get a quorum. If the bill goes to the conference as suggested, it will die."

Complaint was also made by Steenerson of Minnesota against being drawn into a caucus on pretense that it was a conference.

Davidson of Wisconsin counselled treating the senate as an equal. He declared plainly that he should stand by the house bill.

Waldo of New York, declared that senators who are anti-rate men have formed a combination with the Democrats to defeat the house rate bill and the Philippine tariff bill. To meet this combination, he declared it would be bad policy for the house to yield on statehood and have nothing with which to fight.

Speeches were made by several others and after a vote had been taken on the two propositions, Bonygne of Colorado asked unanimous consent to offer a resolution declaring the conference not binding. Watson at once objected, and the session was declared ended.

RESIGNED.

Madison, Wis., March 15.—George F. Downer, graduate manager of athletics of the University of Wisconsin, resigend to day, ascribing as the cause the general condition of the athletic situation.

JACKSONVILLE CHORAL CLUB

Tuesday evening, March 27 has been set for the concert by the Jacksonville Choral club. The club will sing Coleridge Taylor's "Hiawatha's Wedding Feast" and "The Death of Minnehaha," the latter being a repetition, in response to many requests, of the work given at last year's mid-winter concert.

Mrs. Lillian French Read who sang the part last year, will again be the soprano. Garnett Hedge and Grant Hadley, both of Chicago, will sing the tenor and baritone roles.

The concert will be given at State Street church. Tickets, which may be secured from any member of the club, have been set at 75 and 50 cents, according to location.

NEW BARBER SHOP.

I have opened a new barber shop in the Scott block, in the basement under the U. S. Express office, where I shall at all times be ready to do the best of work in my line. Prices reasonable and service the best, and shall be glad to see all my friends and former customers.

W. C. Vieria.

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DIAMONDS.

Our Diamond gangs and sulkies are rightly named. They are getting to be very popular with the farmers, especially with farmers that have used them or saw their neighbors work. The new foot and hand lift is very fine. Do not buy until you have seen these plows and then talk with some man that has one, and you will be convinced that the Diamond is the plow to buy.

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Rope Making Machines. You need one. Call and see them.

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EGG-O-SEE	SUGAR SYRUP	PINE APPLE
3 packages for 25	1 gallon can 30	3 pound can 10

GRANULATED SUGAR	BEST KANSAS FLOUR
19 pounds for $1.00	50 pound sack for $1.10
RUMFORD BAKING POWDER	**LUMP STARCH**
pound can for 20c	8 pounds for 25c

SALT HERRING

Just arrived a barrel of extra large fat herring. They are not the small kind you buy elsewhere, but as thick and meaty and almost as large as mackerel, per dozen 35c

ORANGES

California Navels were never better than at present.

Medium size, per dozen 30c
Extra large 40c
Jumbos 60c

There's a Reason Why

OUR SALES on 25 cent Mocha and Java Coffee have doubled in the past 30 days. Now there can be but one reason for it. It is this: We are actually selling a coffee that would cost you 35 cents a pound any where else in the city.

We sell one pound for 25c
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CITY COUNCIL

Hold Short Session—Election Ordinance Passed—Sidewalk Ordinances Adopted — Business of Minor Importance Transacted.

Passage of the election ordinance and the adoption of numerous sidewalk ordinances was the principal business transacted at the regular meeting of the city council Thursday evening. Ordinances providing for the repaving of portions of South Main street, North Main street and East State street were read and laid over until next meeting. A communication was read from the Illinois Western Railway company announcing the acceptance of the interurban franchise ordinance.

THE PROCEEDINGS.

The city council met in regular session Thursday evening with Mayor John R. Davis in the chair and all members present except Ald. Johnson. The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

On motion of Ald. Kendrick the matter of the adoption of the Spaulding plat, which had been referred to the highway committee at the last meeting, was not considered and the committee granted further time.

The clerk read a petition from Mrs. Anna Koenig asking permission to erect a frame cottage within the fire limits on North Mauvaisterre street. Referred to building committee with power to act.

The clerk read the election ordinance which provided for the holding of an election for members of the board of education in the third and fourth wards. Ald. Kendrick wanted an amendment providing for the election of an alderman from the first ward to fill the vacancy now existing. The mayor declared the amendment out of order.

On roll call on the passage of the election ordinance the vote stood five to four. Alds. Kendrick, Kennedy, McGinnis and Higgins voting no. The mayor declared the ordinance passed.

The clerk read the ordinance for the second time providing for the opening and extension of Howe street south from East State street to College avenue, width of street to be forty feet.

The clerk read a communication from the Illinois Western Railway company accepting the franchise ordinance.

Sidewalk ordinances providing for the laying of concrete walks along certain portions of Hardin avenue, Clay avenue, Franklin street and South East street were read by the clerk and the same were carried with the emergency clause attached.

The clerk read a communication from the board of local improvements recommending the passage of ordinances for the re-paving of South Main street from the square to College avenue, North Main street from the square to North street, and East State street from the square to Alley D. Ordinances governing the same were read by the clerk and on motion, were laid over until the next meeting.

Ald. Govein asked the city attorney to prepare ordinances for the laying of a sidewalk on both sides of North Fayette street and the same was referred.

Judges and clerks for the election of members of the board of education in the third and fourth wards were named as follows:

Third ward, Dist. 1—Judges: John Minter, Albert Davis and James Buckley; clerks: George Graff, William Mathers and James Brennan.

District No. 2. Judges: John Catherwood, George Sybrant and J. W. Mitchell; clerks: Edward Beck, H. A. Withee and Mike Crowe.

Fourth ward, Dist. No. 1—Judges: Daniel Bahan, Joseph Brennan and George Davis; clerks: Edward Castrup, John King and J. B. Johnson.

District No. 2—Judges: W. H. Dalton, George Merrill, D. Rees Browning; clerks: H. C. Clement, A. G. Burr and Charles Starks.

No further business appearing the council adjourned.

The Mother Goose characters will all be at the High School tonight.

NEW MEN SIGNED.

Manager Belt, of the Jacksonville baseball team, Wednesday released Mowbray, Freeland and Wood, all infielders, and signed Morahon and Couthorn. Morahon is a St. Louis man, highly recommended as a second baseman, and Couthorn hails from Mexico, Mo. He has made an enviable reputation at third, and Belt expects him to make good.

Manager Belt says that the team will soon begin to take shape now, and he expects to know before long who will stick, and who will be released.

Peoria has received a signed contract from Pitcher Louis Wagner, last year with the Cairo K. I. T. league, thus completing the deal entered into with the southern Illinois management for Pitchers Asher and Wagner, said to be two crack men. This makes twenty-three contracts received to date, leaving but one, Egan, to be heard from.—Pantagraph

The heads of the teams this year will be: Wortham, Danville; Berryhill, Hyphens; Belt, Jacksonville; Kolb, Vincennes; McCarthy, Cairo; Lloyd, Paducah.

Job lot of ladies' and children's rubbers at 25c. Hopper's.

PIANO RECITAL.

The first of a number of individual piano recitals to be given by students of the Illinois College of Music was given Thursday afternoon by Miss Nora Taylor, of Winchester. Miss Taylor gave an interesting program. She has good technique and plays with musical understanding. She has been in the Illinois College of Music for three years, two of which she was a pupil of Mrs. Kolp and this last year with Mr. Stead. Following was the program:

Impromptu, in A flat ..... Schubert
Fugue, in C minor ..... Bach

Warum? ..... Schumann
Waltz, in A ..... Rachmaninoff
"Hark, Hark, the Lark" ... Schubert-Liszt

Allegro Appassionato (From Concert in D minor) ..... Mendelssohn
Orchestral parts on second piano.

PUBLIC SALE.

of town lots. I will sell at public sale Monday March 19, at 1:30 p. m. on the ground, a number of lots situated on Chambers street and Brooklyn avenue and Henry street, to the highest bidders. Terms of sale, one-third cash on day of sale, one-third in one year, and one-third in two years, deferred payments secured by vendor's lein. Can pay cash.

John E. Kingsley.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Chester A. Griffin, Chapin; Minnie M. McQuown, Jacksonville.

DR. M'CORMACK

"Things About Doctors Which Doctors and Other People Ought to Know."

Dr. Carl E. Black, of this city, is arranging a lecture through this part of Illinois by Dr. J. N. McCormack, of Bowling Green, Ky. Dr. McCormack is chairman of the committee on organization of the American Medical association and will spend the month of April in the various counties of Illinois delivering a series of addresses on the relation of the medical profession to the public. While these addresses are under the auspices of the various medical societies they are for the general public.

Among the topics on which Dr. McCormack will speak are: "Things About Doctors Which Doctors and Other People Ought to Know," and "The Danger to the Public from an Unorganized and Under-paid Medical Profession." It is his special purpose to discuss freely and frankly the relations which exist between the public and the medical profession, and to point out wherein these relations are faulty and should be changed to the advantage of all.

All classes of citizens are earnestly requested to attend these meetings and Dr. McCormack says that his addresses are especially prepared for business men, teachers, clergymen, lawyers, farmers, state, city and county officials, W. C. T. U. members, and in fact all citizens who are brought in contact with physicians. He especially wishes to have the ladies attend.

Those who had the pleasure of hearing Dr. McCormack last year at the Morgan County Medical society dinner will gladly avail themselves of this opportunity to hear him again. He is an agreeable and convincing speaker who is making a tour of the United States in the interest of the relation of the medical profession to the public. He has recently returned from the states on the Pacific coast, where his lectures elicited an enthusiastic interest.

As councillor for the 6th district of the Illinois State Medical society Dr. Black has arranged the following itinerary for Dr. McCormack in this part of the state:

Monday, April 9—Pittsfield and Quincy.

Tuesday, April 10—Mt. Sterling, Virginia and Jacksonville.

Wednesday, April 11—Carrollton, Carlinville and Alton.

The appointments for Quincy, Jacksonville and Alton are in the evening. Further announcement will be made by the officers of the Morgan County Medical society of the place and exact hour of the address in Jacksonville.

Be in line for seats for "John Henry" Monday 8 a. m.

W. R. C. SEWING.

A large number of the members of the Woman's Relief Corps met at their hall on West Morgan street Thursday and spent the day sewing. The time from 9:30 a. m. until 3 in the afternoon, when they adjourned to the tabernacle meeting, was pleasantly and profitably spent. Each member took a basket well filled with eatables and at noon a fine dinner was enjoyed. The meeting proved one of great pleasure to all who attended.

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Possesion to be given at once.

The owner is here for a few days and if we do not sell before he leaves this farm will be taken off the market.

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22 lbs. of Cane Granulated Sugar for $1.00

(With ONE DOLLARS' worth of the following goods (cash sale): National baking powder, 25c lb.; 20c to 35c coffee; extracts, spices, best teas. NATIONAL TEA CO., 211 East State St. S. H. Ervin, Proprietor. Both 'phones.

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400 Acre Prairie Farm, well tiled, in best condition, conveniently located in fine neighborhood, with two sets improvements in excellent shape. 12 miles from Jacksonville, 4 miles from good town and 2 miles from station.

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No. 19 Morrison Block

City and County

William Fuller attended the Dwyer sale Thursday.

L. Z. Harmon was in from Concord Thursday.

GREAT BARGAINS in wall paper at Smith & Reeve's.

Mrs. Angus Taylor was over from Virginia yesterday.

James Cooper represented Concord in the city Thursday.

F. W. Lord, of Beardstown, was a city caller yesterday.

Robert Clayton attended the Dwyer sale yesterday.

If you want good dry oak wood don't fail to see Hale

H. Violett was a caller in Woodson Thursday afternoon.

Frank Strawn went to Alexander yesterday on business.

Ruel Crum was in from Virginia yesterday on business.

Wanted—Pressing and repairing at Johnson's, 233½ West State street.

Frank Gardner has entered the employ of J. H. Tennerson.

W. W. Gillham has returned from a business visit in Chicago.

Miss Myrtle Slaughter is home from Chicago for a visit.

Earl Williamson was in from Concord on business yesterday.

Clarke Green was a caller from Pisgah to the city Thursday.

Tailor made suits, sure to fit, good material and latest styles, from $15 upward at the JACKSONVILLE TAILORING CO.'S.

C. O. Ling, of Beardstown, was a visitor to the city Thursday.

J. C. Berry, of Yellville, Ark., was a visitor to the city yesterday.

G. J. Dowell was a caller from Franklin to the city Thursday.

Harry Franc, of Toledo, Ohio, was a caller in the city Thursday.

R. L. Stead was a caller from Havana to the city yesterday.

Now is the time to paper your house. See the great bargains offered by Smith & Reeve, West Morgan street.

B. Anderton was a caller from Franklin to the city Thursday.

E. Tolan, of Girard, was among the callers to the city Thursday.

C. D. Irlam of Midway transacted business in the city Thursday.

H. L. Chaney was a caller from Literberry to the city yesterday.

W. E. Gordon, of Merritt, called on friends in the city yesterday.

Oscar Mansfield, of Franklin, spent Thursday in the city on business.

C. D. Mitchell, of Evansville, Ind., was a visitor in the city yesterday.

George Chatterton went to Springfield yesterday afternoon for a visit.

Robert Henley was a business caller in Alexander Thursday afternoon.

W. Todd was among the callers from Lynnville to the city yesterday.

William Stringer, of Buckhorn, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

J. E. Kingsley went to Carlinville Thursday on business for a few days.

D. S. Benjamin, of Springfield, was visiting Jacksonville friends yesterday

SECRET 7 KILLS URIC ACID.

William Nerganah and daughter were in the city from Chapin yesterday.

W. E. Lyon, of Springfield, was a Thursday business caller to the city.

Mrs. Reuben Megginson, of Woodson, was among the city shoppers yesterday.

Martin Dorwart, of Alexander, was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Aufdekamp of Chapin was a shopping visitor in the city yesterday.

John Goodey has entered the employ of John R. Phillips, the confectioner.

Dr. Thomas Willerton made a professional trip to Orleans Thursday afternoon.

Miss Essie Fernandes has taken a position at the Central Hospital for the Insane.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mason were in the city from Murrayville yesterday trading.

Don't wait for the warm spring days before ordering your suit of the JACKSONVILLE TAILORING Co., but come soon and get served promptly. A fine line of suitings from which to select.

Charles Taylor, the well known auctioneer, of Chapin, was a city visitor Thursday.

Al Stewart, of Franklin, spent Thursday in the city looking after business matters.

Glen Tobin, of the Buckhorn neighborhood, transacted business in the city yesterday.

Jacob Strawn, of the Sinclair neighborhood, transacted business in the city Thursday.

March 16 and 19 the Wabash will sell round trip tickets to Louisville and return at $9.65. Limit March 21st.

William Cleary, of the west part of the county, was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Edward F. Seymour, of Franklin, spent Thursday in the city looking after business matters.

Lee Craven, a well known young man, of Chapin, was calling on Jacksonville friends yesterday.

See Hale for good oak wood

John Cherry, Jr., expects to go to Bloomington this morning on a business trip of several days.

Misses Olive Stone and Bessie Hart were up from Waverly to attend the teacher's institute.

You can save money on spring suits. See H. Johnson, the tailor.

Dennis Hammer, Jake Stoker and Carl Fritch, of Arenzville, were visitors to the city yesterday.

Miss Gertrude Fernandes is ill at Our Savior's hospital. Her home is 236 East Washington street.

Samuel Heaton, of Lynnville, was among the callers here from the west part of the county yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson, of the west part of the county, were shoppers in the city yesterday.

Wilbur Hembrough, of the southeast part of the county, was a business visitor in the city Thursday.

O. W. W. Wallace has returned from Kansas City and again taken his barber chair at the Pacific hotel.

James Cooper and Edward Perbix of Concord were in the city yesterday after attending the Dwyer sale, north of the city.

J. W. Woods and W. J. Young, the horse men, attended the Dwyer sale Thursday and purchased fourteen mules and four horses.

Mrs. L. B. Haynes has returned from attending the golden wedding anniversary of her uncle, William McCurley and wife, of Modesto.

B. G. Metz and L. A. Seymour were in the city Thursday enroute to their home in Nortonville, after several days spent near Meredosia hunting.

Gus Schleisser, who has been assistant miller at the Fitzsimmons-Kreider mill, has removed with his family to Farmington, to take a position in a mill at that place.

Charles Robertson and sister were over from Cass county Thursday visiting friends and relatives. Mr. Robertson expects to proceed from this city for an extended tour of Oklahoma, Texas and other distant localities.

You will gain valuable time by ordering now your spring suit or desired garments of the JACKSONVILLE TAILORING COMPANY and not waiting for warm weather. This weather will not last long. Good suits made to fit, $15 and upward, and from best material. A large list of suitings from which to select.

HISTORY CLASS.

The History class will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. E. Crabtree.

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Spring Suitings

We are showing a particularly choice collection of suitings, mostly foreign manufacture, many adapted for immediate use. We invite our friends to an early inspection of these goods.

In our furnishing department we are showing the early styles in Hats, Shirts and Neckwear at prices that will sell them.

A. WEIHL, TAILOR

Look well to your furniture and carpet needs during our March sales. There's money to be saved.

White and Fancy Hose for Spring

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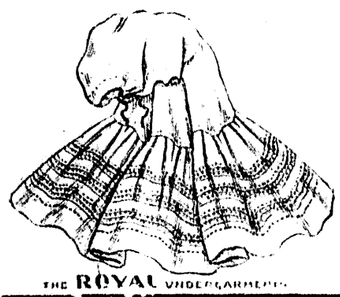

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"Heather bloom" is the best substitute for silk yet discovered. It possesses all the lustre and the "cry" of silk, yet is more serviceable for the reason that it will not split.

Limited space does not permit of detailed description of all of the various styles. The six here described give an idea of the offerings.

Skirt of heavy black English sateen. Cut very full, trimmed with wide flounce and accordeon pleated ruffle. **98c**

Skirt of mercerized English black sateen. Elegantly tailored, trimmed with 25 inch flounce and two 6 inch accordeon pleated ruffles. **$1.39**

Skirt of heavy black English sateen, full sweep. Trimmed with double ruffle. Very serviceable **98c**

An assortment of skirts in various colors of Maire sateen. Finished with 30 inch accordeon pleated flounce and ruffle. A rare bargain **$1.39**

Skirt of black English mercerized sateen, trimmed with fancy double flounce of black and white sateen. A very sightly garment **$2.25**

An assortment of "Heather bloom" skirts in popular shades, handsomely trimmed with bands and ruffles. Excellent values **$2.59**

Just a Word About Our Carpet Sales

To all those contemplating the purchase of Carpets or other floor coverings this spring our March carpet sales are of vital interest. A discount of 20 per cent is allowed on our entire line of Carpets. Radical reductions also are made on Rugs and Mattings. All the goods shown are bright new, 1906 designs and every item bears our guarantee of "absolute satisfaction or your money back"

GOLDEN WEDDING AT MODESTO.

Tuesday, March 13, at Modesto occurred the fiftieth anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. William McCurley, who on that date reached the day that tinges itself with gold. A large company of guests, many of them from a distance, assembled to share with this venerable couple the joys of the occasion. The Modesto male quartet discoursed appropriate music which greatly delighted the guests.

Among those from distant points were Rev. C. Nash of Jerseyville, and Rev. J. G. Gibson of Girard. An old time choir composed of people over fifty, was organized by Rev. Mr. Nash, who lined out a hymn in appropriate style, which was sung with great enjoyment by the old, to the great amusement of the young. Four of those present were at the original wedding in 1856. Ten had heard Peter Cartwright preach, and twelve Peter Akers. The pastor, Rev. A. V. Babbs, responded to the toast "Matrimony" and Mrs. Pearl McCurley read a poem in honor of the day.

Dinner and supper were served in the chapel of the M. E. church, which was tastefully decorated with appropriate colors. Golden gifts were numerous, among them a gold headed cane for the groom and a gold handled umbrella for the bride. At 4 o'clock Rev. A. V. Babbs pronounced the words which united these two lives for the second fifty years.

The occasion was a red letter day for the town of Modesto, and one from which future events will be dated.

A. V. Babbs.

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We have cash buyer for modern house of, say, 7 rooms, well located. The Johnston Agency.

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Its pleasant taste and prompt cures have made Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a favorite with the mothers of small children. It quickly cures their coughs and colds and prevents any danger of pneumonia or other serious consequences. It not only cures croup, but when given as soon as the croupy cough appears will prevent the attack. For sale by all leading druggists.

DIVERNON REVIVAL.

Rev. E. Loose is holding a series of revival meetings at Divernon, Ill. Rev. E. C. Pires, of this city, is pastor of the church, and Will Day, also of this city, has gone to Divernon to assist in the meetings as leader of the chorus. The meetings thus far have been very successful.

TAKE NOTICE.

We are still at the old stand and our many years of experience enable us to give you the best bicycle and general repair work; electric and gas supplies, house wiring and fixtures, door bells and repair work. Do not waste your time looking elsewhere call up the H. T. Electric Co., 218 West Morgan street. We can save you money.

B. J. Holkenbrink,
Paul Trabue,
Proprietors.

NOTICE.

Local freight, for our local freight south, must be at the C. B. & Q. freight office not later than 8:30 a. m., in order to go south at 9 a. m. Freight received after this time will be held over until next day.

E. F. Mitchell, Agent.

HORSE AND MULE SALE.

The Dwyer sale, three and a half miles northeast of the city, Thursday, was well attended, and everything sold well. Mules went at from $250 to $415; single horses, $85 to $207; teams, $126 to $226; cattle, two-year-olds, $28, and cows also went well. Jerry Cox & Son were the auctioneers, and M. J. Clerihan was clerk.

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"We prefer Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to any other for our children," says M. L. Woodbury of Twining, Mich. "It has also done the work for us in hard colds and croup, and we take pleasure in recommending it." For sale by all leading druggists.

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4 cans Sugar Corn	$ .25
3 2-lb. cans Tomatoes	.25
3 2-lb. cans Early June Peas	.25
2 2-lb. cans Sifted Early June Peas	.25
3 1-lb. cans Pink Salmon	.25
2 1-lb. cans Red Salmon	.25
3-lb. can finest Ideal Lemon Cling or Sliced Peaches for Cream	.25
3-lb. can Heavy Syrup Yellow Crawford, Cash Mark Lemon Cling Peaches, 20c each or 3 for	.50
3-lb. can Ideal White Cherries	.25
3-lb. can Cost Mark White Cherries, 20c each or 3 cans for	.50
3-lb. can Heavy Syrup Table Peaches	.15
1 gallon Pie Peaches	.25
2 3-lb. cans Table Apricots	.25
Finest Java and Mocha coffee, per lb	.20
Finest Old Government Java Coffee, per lb 35c; 3 lbs. for	1.00
Good Rio Coffee, per lb	.15
Finest Gunpowder Tea, per lb	.50
Finest Young Hyson Tea, per lb	.50
Choice Imperial and Hyson Tea, lb	.25

Take advantage of these Cash Prices while they last.

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Topmost yellow Crawford peaches	25c
Topmost apricots	25c
Topmost blueberries	15c
Topmost corn	15c
Topmost spinach	20c
Topmost baby beets	15c
Topmost kidney beans	12½c
Topmost extra fine peas	20c
Topmost sweet wrinkled peas	15c
Topmost Early June peas	15c
Topmost Tomatoes, large can	20c
Topmost Queen Olives, 15c, 25c, 50c and	75c
Topmost salmon	15 and 20c

These goods are the highest excellence achieved and we guarantee every can of them.

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25 dozen large Huck hemstitched colored bordered towels, 20c value, **two for 25c or one dozen for $1.50.**

1620 yards machine Torchon Lace, cheap at 8 1/3c ..... **in the basement section while they last at 5c yard.**

1500 yards handsome Embroideries, ... **extraordinary value at 10c yard.**

Easter Gowns and Coats

Our Suit and Cloak section is showing all the very latest creations in tailored Suits and spring Coats and Jackets, moderately priced. Step into this section and see the busy salespeople, and see the beautiful array of elegant garments

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To clean up the remainder of our stock, we will sell as long as they last.

3-lb can of fancy Lemon Cling or Yellow Crawford Peaches or Apricots,

3 Cans for 50c

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of sheriff, subject to the approval of the Republicans at the primaries and in convention.

CHARLES B. GRAFF.

FOR COUNTY CLERK.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for the office of county clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican voters in primaries and convention. JAMES S. MERRILL.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of county judge of Morgan county, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primary election, to be held April 28, 1906, and the convention following. W. M. MORRISEY.

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of county superintendent of schools of Morgan county, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primary election to be held April 28, 1906. M. L. TEST.

FOR ASSESSOR AND TREASURER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for the office of assessor and treasurer of Morgan county, Illinois, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primary election.

J. W. MALLISTER, JR.

BLACK SEA HURRICANE

Sinferopol, Russia, March 15. A hurricane has raged for three days over the Black sea. Great damage has been done and in every port shipping has been disabled

ALL OVER THE HOUSE.

The Floor of the Kitchen—Some Hints About Oilcloth.

Any good matched boards are good for the kitchen floor. Hardwood floors look extremely clean, but even with the best of care they become spotted and need an amount of scrubbing which is a waste of energy. Cover your plain board floor with any one of the numerous forms of oilcloth you may happen to prefer. A small pattern, closely covering the oilcloth, will show the wear less than a large pattern. Allow enough over to make mats to put in front of the stove, the table and the sink. If these mats are shifted once a week—the stove mat to the table, the sink mat to the stove, etc.—they will last much longer and save the permanent floor covering. When this shows wear and looks dingy take it up and spread it face downward on the attic floor. Paint the wrong side with two coats of some neutral tint and let it dry thoroughly. When put down it will be as good as new.

To Polish Mahogany.

First take out ink stains, if there are any, by touching them with spirits of salt. Do it with a sponge tied upon the end of a stick. Then wash the spots instantly with vinegar and make the whole surface to be polished clean with it. Then rub on the following preparation with a woolen cloth: Melt together in an earthen pot two ounces of beeswax and one-half ounce of alkanet root. Then take it from the fire and add two ounces of spirits of wine and one-half pint of spirits of turpentine. Polish with a soft silk cloth.

Calf's Foot Aspic.

Boil three calf's feet for thirty minutes, salt the water and when cold drain and cut the meat away from the bones in small pieces. Chop fine and put into a pot and cover with water, vinegar and salt to taste; add a bay leaf, a few round peppers and a few allspice. Boil all together for about twenty minutes, remove the scum that gathers on top, drop in a little onion, cut fine, and set away in a cold place to form into jelly.

Kitchen Hints.

Rub duck or geese with cornmeal after plucking to remove the down.

Apples will not turn dark when pared if dropped into water to which lemon juice has been added.

Freshen stale rolls or crackers by tying them in a paper sack and putting into a hot oven.

Just before serving corn soup add a few kernels of freshly popped corn to each plateful for a garnish.

An Ivory Cleanser.

To clean ivory ornaments brush them with a toothbrush, which should not be very new, rubbed with soap. Rinse in lukewarm water and dry thoroughly. Then brush the ornaments again until the luster appears. It will be increased if a little alcohol be poured on the brush. If the ivory is very yellow set in the sun to bleach.

To Pickle Pork.

Four and one-half pounds of salt, one pound of brown sugar, one ounce of saltpeter and three gallons of water. Put into a large saucepan and boil for half an hour, skimming off the scum. When cold, pour over the meat, and let it lie for a few days. This is intended to corn a small quantity of meat for family use.

RAILROAD NEWS NOTES

Burlington Officials Inspected Work on Cut-Off—Wreck on Alton—Items of Interest and Personal Mention.

C. W. Ling, division superintendent; George H. Bremner, engineer of maintenance of way, and B. Violett, roadmaster of the Burlington, were in the city Thursday looking over the work on the cutoff and deciding on a place where the Burlington could connect their track with the Alton. This will be necessary in order that the Burlington may run their work trains on the Alton tracks, in order to make the fill of six feet, which is required from Routt street past the College avenue crossing, where the subway will be put in. There were several rumors afloat in railroad circles yesterday that the work on the cutoff would probably be discontinued until more favorable weather, but this is not likely as the officials are determined to push the work as rapidly as possible

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On account of a broken wheel on a car in the first section of Alton train 88 two cars were derailed west of Bloomington Wednesday night, which delayed traffic on the line for some time. The "Hummer" from the north, due here at 12:05 a. m., was sent by way of Springfield and to this city over the Wabash, and from here took their own line to Kansas City

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The local freight on the Alton, due to arrive here at 8:30 a. m., was delayed Thursday on account of a shortage of train crews. In order to have a conductor to handle the train it was necessary to wait at Roodhouse until the arrival of train 88. Conductor Polite of this train, upon arrival in Roodhouse, immediately took charge of the local and reached this city about 1 p. m.

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Arthur Thompson, foreman of the boiler department of the Wabash shops at Springfield, was visiting friends in the city Thursday.

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John E. Fish of Peoria, division freight agent of the Alton, after spending a day in this city on company business, left Thursday for Roodhouse, where he will spend several days.

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E. P. Blackwell of Chicago, traveling freight and passenger agent for the Salt Lake route, was calling on railroad men here Thursday.

BIRTH RECORD.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Holt, of 132 South West street, Thursday evening, a seven pound daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Reeve of Edgmon street Thursday, a daughter.

BASEBALL RULING

Cincinnati, Ohio, March 15.—The national baseball commission to day refused the application of the Burlington, Iowa, club, which appealed from the decision of the National association board, awarding Player Wilkes to Sioux City. President Egan of the Burlington club requested the commission to award Wilkes to his club, contending that Wilkes signed a non-reserve contract with Manager Frisbee of Burlington, without his (Egan's) knowledge or authority. Egan further contended that a non-reserve contract must be signed by the president of the club and promulgated in the official bulletins. The commission in passing upon the case, says the rule with respect to non-reserve contracts is plain and that a player cannot be held by a club with which he has a contract with the reserve clause stricken out.

REBELS DEFEATED.

London, March 15—A dispatch from Zungeru, Northern Nigeria, to the Daily Mail to day reports that the British punitive expedition has crushed the Sokoto revolt after heavy fighting, in which the rebels twice charged the British square and were almost annihilated. The town of Satirk, which was held by the rebels in force, was bombarded and then captured at the point of the bayonet. Over three hundred rebels were killed.

PRESBYTERIAN CONFERENCE.

Charlotte, N. C., March 15.—At tonight's session the federation conference of Presbyterian churches adopted with slight changes the seventeen articles of agreement formulated at Pittsburg in 1901. The council will hold biennial sessions and each church will be entitled to four representatives for each hundred thousand communicants.

Each church retains its own creed, government individuality and form of worship. Every act of the council before it became operative shall be reaffirmed by the general synods of the representative churches.

Col. Business at Home.

Henry L. Merrick, who until his death was the paragrapher on the Washington Post, was frequently invited to dinners and receptions in the hope that some of his scintillations might be heard there. "Pop" Merrick, as he was known to his friends, was not much of a talker. At one reception all conversation turned toward him in the hope that he might make some bright remark. He did not, and finally his hostess came to him and said:

"Mr. Merrick, we thought you might say something bright, but you haven't said a word tonight hardly."

"Madam," Merrick replied haughtily, "your father is a dentist. Does he pull teeth at receptions?"—New York World.

LUTHER BURBANK OBJECTS.

Luther Burbank has been overrun with visitors during the past year, taking much valuable time from his experiments and scientific work, and has had to call a halt. A circular has just been issued by his relatives and friends calling attention to the annoyance to which he is subjected almost daily and requesting the discontinuance of visits by the public. In the year 1905 over 6,000 visitors were received on the Burbank grounds, and Mr. Burbank was given absolutely no opportunity to rest. A warning sign has been placed on each gate at the residence declaring that any one entering or trespassing on the grounds will be prosecuted.—Argonaut.

Bottles and Ocean Currents.

Curious experiments are being carried out by Captain Simpson of the steamship Moravian to test the course and speed of ocean currents. For the past fifteen years during the passage of this liner between England, South Africa and Australia the captain has every day thrown overboard a tightly corked bottle containing a scroll bearing the latitude, longitude and date when cast adrift, together with a request to the finder to forward the bottle to him at the London offices of the steamship line. The number of bottles returned to him, however, is very small, the average being less than one a year.

The Sahara Desert.

In the Sahara desert, says a recent writer, there is a continuous process of reduction going on. The sand blast wears away rocks, and the heat splits them. At Nefsaoua stood a line of pinnacles. Only one remains of the original height. The others are worn away. That which remains is protected by a topknot of shrubs and earth, nourished by a spring which flows from its summit. It is not the hardness of the rock, but this patch of soil and vegetation, frail and soft as it seems, which has preserved the pinnacle. The picture suggests many analogies in human life.

A "Coming Out" In Burma.

The public boring of a young girl's ears is in Burma the equivalent of her "coming out," according to the Allahabad Pioneer. The ceremony has just been performed on an elaborate scale in the case of the two daughters of Maung Tin of Mandalay. They sat side by side on a platform, attired in the richest and daintiest costumes imaginable, both of them pretty girls, and decked, of course, with flowers, while on the head of each was a massive crown of pure gold, studded with gems to make one's mouth water.

Footprints on the Hand.

It happened in the superior court some days ago. D. M. Delmas wanted to introduce in evidence a certain letter, and the opposing counsel, after objecting to its introduction on the usual grounds, asked Attorney Delmas his purpose in seeking to make it a record of the case.

"For the reason," replied Delmas, who is noted for his polished diction, "that through the handwriting of this letter may be traced the footprints of the whole case."—San Francisco Chronicle.

A Royal Nun.

There is only one member of any royal family in Europe who is in a convent and who has actually taken the full vows of a nun—namely, the widow of that Don Miguel of Brazil who ruled for several years over Portugal as its king, being eventually deposed and driven into exile in order to make way for his niece, Queen Maria Della Gloria, the grandmother of the present king. This royal nun is the superior of a convent of Benedictine nuns on the Isle of Wight.

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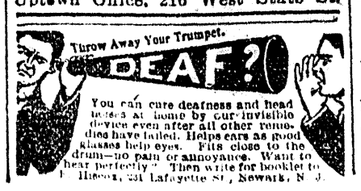

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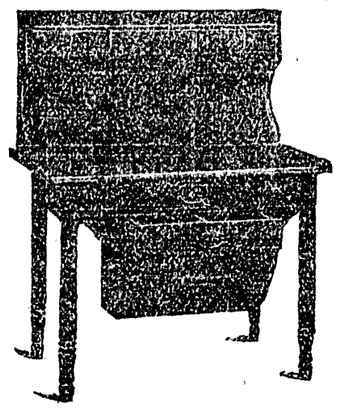

KITCHEN CABINETS

We are making a special display of Kitchen Cabinets this week and we can show you a very large and complete assortment.

Cabinet size, top 4 ft. x 26 in., 2 flour bins, 2 drawers, 1 dough board. Price..... $ 5.50

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Cabinet size, base and top. 16.00

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New Dress Ginghams

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New White Waistings

New Tailor Made Suits, $17.50—$12.50

New Covert Jackets, $3.48, $4.48, $7.48 and $9.00.

New Dress Skirts, $2.25 to $6.50.

Our new spring stock is ready. If no more than a look, come; it will be a pleasure to show you

BLACKBURN-FLORETH CO.

City and County

Miss Winnie Crawley, of Curran, is the guest of friends and relatives in the city for a few days.

H. O. Hill, of New York City, N. Y., general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. for the United States, was in the city yesterday and left on the afternoon train for Franklin, for a visit of a few days with relatives. Mr. Hill will in a few weeks leave New York and go to Rio Janerio.
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Alderman Anthony Kennedy informed a Journal representative Thursday that the poles for the first five telephones put up in this city were set up by himself and John Mehan. The contract was given them March 18, in either 1878 or 1879. Wellington Mayfield, of the Western Union Telegraph Co., let the contract, and the exchange was in the telegraph office.

CIVIL SERVICE BOARD.

Dr. F. P. Norbury has returned from Chicago, where he has been in connection with the civil service examinations recently held for assistant physicians for the Insane Hospitals of the state. Dr. W. E. Quine is president of the board to review the papers and Dr. Norbury is secretary. Examinations were held recently in East St. Louis, Chicago and Springfield, and twenty-nine physicians were before the board. The grades will be made known in the course of ten days.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

The regular meeting of the Morgan County Historical society will be held at the library this evening at 8 o'clock. Dr. Norbury was to have given a paper on "Some Features of Early Travel and Engineering on the Illinois River," but in his absence from the city Dr. Black will tell of the "Old Illinois College Medical School."

A meeting of the directors will be held at 7 o'clock, prior to the public meeting.

PULPIT CIRCLE SLED RIDE.

The members of the Pulpit Circle of the Christian church enjoyed a fine sled ride Thursday afternoon. The dashing team of four greys made a fine appearance as they pranced along in front of the vehicle in which were deposited twenty ladies. Of course there was no attempt to ride beyond the limits of the street pavement but at last we have enough of that desirable improvement to enable pleasure seekers to go a good distance without retracing their steps. The ride was greatly enjoyed by all the ladies and they were loud in their praises of the gentlemanly proprietor of the East Court street livery stable for the pleasure they enjoyed. The ride was a treat on the part of Mr. Woods and his generosity made it possible for a score of good ladies to have a royal time.

CARITAS DEGREE LODGE.

The members of Caritas Rebekah degree lodge No. 625, and their friends enjoyed a very delightful box social in their hall Thursday evening. There were a large number of guests present, and a very pleasant evening was spent. The contents of the boxes when disclosed presented a very tempting array of delicacies, and were greatly enjoyed.

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THE DEATH RECORD

HAYES

Miss Jessie May Hayes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Hayes, died at the family residence, 403 Hardin avenue, Thursday evening, at the age of 21 years. Death resulted from tuberculosis.

The parents and two sisters and three brothers survive.

Funeral announcement will be made later.

HOLLOWAY

Vera, the five months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Holloway, died at the family residence on West Morgan street, Thursday night at 10:10, after an illness of two weeks with whooping cough.

The funeral will be held Saturday, and interment will take place in Winchester.

LADIES' TAILORS AND DRESSMAKERS.

We invite the public to our parlors to inspect a sample of our work and our sample line of spring suitings, or parties wishing us to call at their home with a sample of our work, call us by phone. 1039 West College avenue, Bell phone 625-L. S. A. & B. Croffoot.

"The House That Jack Built" can be seen tonight at 8 o'clock for 35 cents.

MAY TRY AIRSHIPS.

On account of the bad condition of the roads the Pike county candidates we understand, are thinking of forming a pool and buying an airship with which to make the canvass. The only trouble the Pike county Democrat can see with this is that the bunching of so much hot air all in one car might cause an explosion.—Exchange.

COAL PRICES HIGHER.

The price of coal advanced 50c a ton at the mines Thursday. Local dealers made a corresponding advance, and the retail price of coal is now $3.50 per ton. The prospects of a strike has made coal very scarce and if the present cold wave continues a still farther advance in price is not unlikely.

PANDORA CLUB.

The Pandora club met with Miss Mabel Henderson Thursday evening. An excellent program was rendered, which made the evening a most enjoyable one for all present.

All smart up-to-date women of today,
Know how to bake, wash, sing and to play;
Without these talents a wife is N. G.
Unless she takes Rocky Mountain Tea.
Armstrongs' Drug Store.

NO TROUBLE PENDING.

Manila, March 15.—Colonel Knight, Major General Wood's chief of staff, has returned from a reconnaissance of the situation in China. He reports that there is absolutely no danger of trouble and that tranquility prevails.

DELIVERED TEMPERANCE

LECTURE AT TABERNACLE MEETING.

Immense Audience Heard Dr. Culpepper Thursday Night—Three Services Announced for Sunday.

At the afternoon meeting the tabernacle was well filled and Dr. J. B. Culpepper made his first appearance since his illness. His talk was one to the women and he spoke in a most inspiring and helpful manner of the great opportunities that come to every woman to be a power in the bettering of the home conditions all about her.

It was just a plain straight talk, full of helpful suggestions and none who heard him could have helped but profit by the many timely and searching truths which Dr. Culpepper brought so clearly to the fullest conviction of his audience.

EVENING SERVICE

Again the tabernacle was filled to overflowing on Thursday evening and all the available space was utilized in an attempt to accomodate the large crowd. Following the song service Dr. J. B. Culpepper came into the tabernacle and when he mounted the platform he was vigorously applauded by the congregation and it was a prolonged and hearty greeting.

Rev. G. E. Scrimger offered prayer.

Dr. Oneal asked for a liberal collection and Brother Burke announced that the young boy who had shouted "amen" to the dollar contribution on the previous evening had backed up his "amen" with a silver dollar which he had brought with him for the evening collection, and the suggestion seemed to make a hit with the audience for the tin pans seemed to clank louder than ever during the taking of the contribution.

Dr. Culpepper preceded his evening sermon with a few remarks regarding his very weak condition and stated that there was only one thing that had kept him in fear of overtaxing himself and thus bringing to a close his earthly existence, and that was his wife, who possibly had prayed more than any other woman for the success of the meetings in Jacksonville. He might possibly be taking too much of a chance in preaching twice during his first day out but he wanted so much to plead with the Jacksonville people against the liquor traffic that he could not resist talking to the immense audience which had gathered to this evening's meeting.

Now-a-days generally when an announcement is made that anyone will preach or lecture on 'temperance' they expect the same matter of fact arguments heard so many times, and the same dry old subject dished up in the usual manner, but those who heard Dr. Culpepper last night heard one of the greatest temperance lectures now before the public. There was nothing dry about it but it was decidedly wet for he fairly drowned the old subject in the awful flood of anathema and condemnation which he poured out upon the supporters, defenders and sympathizers in the vicious and death dealing liquor traffic.

His audience was one of the most enthusiastic that has yet gathered in the tabernacle and again and again his audience applauded vigorously the sure and certain truths which he spoke with no uncertain meaning. An attempt to briefly sum up the arguments in this lecture is an impossibility but in part he said:

"There is a whisky microbe which is eating into every phase of our personal and national life. Gladstone was right when he said that the ravages of rum are greater than the ravages of war and disease. There is a grip of whisky death that takes hold everywhere. It attacks the pulpit, the legislative halls, and even in the governor's chair it is found.

"I once had a conversation with a distiller and traveling incognito without my preaching clothes, I engaged him in conversation telling him I was in the whisky business, but didn't tell him on which side of the question I was. This man told me they made five gallons of whisky from a bushel of corn and in the five gallons there was 450 drinks. At 10 cents a drink you are paying $45 a bushel for that corn. Now there are many farmers working all season to raise their corn and they sell it for 40 cents a bushel, then turn around to some saloon bar and buy it back for $45 a bushel and yet they wonder why they are not elected to the legislature.

"I can not believe in the doctrine of indulgences for I do not believe in paying a price for committing a crime; the payment of that price being a privilege to commit the crime. I was once a Democrat and I read something about some of the laws that govern our land, and as I believe that indulgences are wrong, and as I do not believe you can buy crime with a crime, so for this reason when the government accepts a revenue and allows the people to indulge in the liquor traffic, they are paying for the privilege of committing a crime, and buying a crime with a crime.

"It is bad enough for my son to go and get drunk and ruin his life, but when it comes to my selling the damnable stuff to him, the condition is awful. When the government licenses certain people to sell liquor to ruin my son that same government has the same right to allow through the source of revenue the privilege to others to ruin my daughters and turn your daughters into harlots. When the government grants a license and gives a privilege to commit a crime they are buying privilege with crime. God is against the license system which is bound to bring more terrible consequences to our people and our government than will ever the retail system in the liquor traffic.

"You may think a southern man hasn't very much respect for the colored man and very much use for them, but I want to say that I would vote for a negro for president of the United States if I knew that man would drive the liquor traffic from this great American republic.

"The whiskey men are not the only men who are not held responsible for the results of their business. A drunkard kills another man who is drunk, and that man who has committed the deed and stands there with his smoking revolver in his hand has standing beside him the saloon keeper, the man who sold him the whiskey, standing beside him is the man who rented the building where that whiskey was sold; beside him is the law who gave that saloon man the license to sell that whiskey; back of that law stands the legislature, and its members made the law, and beside the members of this legislature stands the members of the Methodist churches, the Baptist churches, the Presbyterian churches, and all other church members who by their votes sent those men to the legislature.

"Let us not forget that the people are supporting this awful liquor traffic by allowing men to go to the legislatures who will license crime, and let us strive to make America 'Not the home of the slave and the home of the spree,
'But the home of the brave and the land of the free.'"

Dr. Culpepper illustrated his lecture with many remarkable instances wherein whiskey has damned men and women, ruined the home life, and brought awful anguish and despair to relatives and friends. Following the service an invitation to all who would make a stand against the liquor traffic to come forward and have white ribbons pinned upon them.

A number of young ladies pinned on the ribbons, 1,500 of which were given out.

At the close of the meeting enthusiasm was at a high pitch and Dr. Culpepper called on all who would forever stand against the liquor traffic to join with him in the Chautauqua salute. The salute was a waving sea of handkerchiefs, a sight most remarkable to look upon.

Announcement was made that meetings would be held to morrow at 3 and 7:30 p. m. and on next Sunday three mass meetings will be held in the tabernacle, at 10:45 a. m., 3 p. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Be in line for seats for "John Henry" Monday 8 a. m.

THE HOUSE THAT JACK BUILT

In this play will be seen Mother Goose, King Cole, the Queen of Hearts, Jack Horner, Humpty Dumpty, and all the other characters of Mother Goose times. It is to be held at the high school to night at 8 o'clock. The admission is 35 cents to everybody.

A HOAX

New York, March 15.—The alleged plot to assassinate Rev. Dr. Parkhurst was a hoax, according to a confession made today by Lawrence Rogers, the man who told the story upon which the investigation of the alleged plot was based. Rogers' confession was made in the police court this afternoon while he was being examined in the John Doe proceedings in connection with the affair. He was promptly arrested on motion of District Attorney Jerome and held for the grand jury on a charge of perjury

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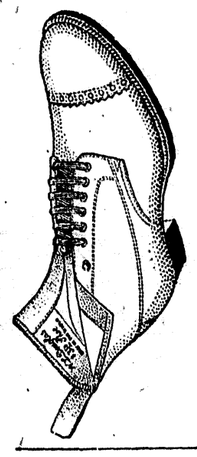

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ILLINOIS NEWS ITEMS

Well Known Minister Dead—Red Men Will Celebrate—Barry Not a Dry Town—Hospital for Mattoon—Other Notes.

WELL KNOWN MINISTER.

Galesburg—Elder John F. M. Parker, who is known throughout the state as one of the pioneer ministers of the Christian church, and who for half a century preached the gospel to different charges in Illinois, passed away at his home Tuesday night. The deceased had been in failing health for the past two years. Rev. John F. M. Parker was born in Knox county, Ohio, Sept. 16, 1838, and immigrated from his native state to Illinois when a boy, his destination being Beardstown, at which place he received his preliminary schooling, subsequently attending the Christian college at Jacksonville for a period of two years. At the age of 19 he made his home at Putnam, Ill., where the major portion of his life was spent, with the exception of three years in Minnesota and seven years in the acceptance of calls to pastorates in nearby counties.

RED MEN TO CELEBRATE

Pana—Maumee tribe, No. 137, Order of Redmen, will celebrate its sixth anniversary at the wigwam on Main street to night, and invitations have been issued to friends to attend the ceremonies.

BARRY NOT DRY.

Barry—Barry is supposed to be a dry town, but those who were in the city Saturday afternoon and evening are satisfied that it is a wide open town. The fact is that anyone who has the wherewith can get all the whisky he wants and some of them want a good deal of the stuff.

TRACTION SUPERINTENDENTS.

Bloomington—At the meeting of the superintendents of the McKinley syndicate held here E. A. McNutt was elected secretary and George Mattis, of Champaign, was elected treasurer, to take the office of T. B. McCauley, who formerly held both offices. The syndicate has decided to not let the contract for the improvements in Peoria to any contractor, but will give the work to its own men.

MATTOON HOSPITAL.

Mattoon—Thursday there was formally opened and dedicated the Memorial Methodist hospital, the first institution of the kind ever possessed by Mattoon and one which will prove an infinite blessing to the city and the surrounding country. The affair was one of considerable magnitude and was attended by prominent churchmen and others from various sections of the state.

CARLINVILLE OIL AND GAS.

Carlinville—Coroner Henry Winter is laying the ground plans for the organization of a stock company, the object of which is to prospect for oil and gas in and near Carlinville. All with whom he has talked are favorable to the proposition and will take stock. He proposes to secure 100 men who will subscribe $50 each and several wells will be drilled in and near Carlinville, on one of his lots near the traction subway. There is a belief prevalent in the minds of many that there is oil and gas under this section, and the effort to ascertain the correctness of the supposition seems likely to be made now that men of money have taken the matter in hand. One will no doubt be sunk near the old prospect hole south of town on the Jacob Klein farm, where gas has been escaping for forty years.

REVIVAL FOR PITTSFIELD.

Pittsfield—Beginning with next Sunday, revival services will be held in the First Methodist church under the leadership of Rev. M. Marvin Culpepper, of Iuka, Miss. Mr. Culpepper comes to us highly recommended by the press of various cities where he has labored.

WANT FUNDS FOR BANK.

Pittsfield—Williams & Williams have filed a creditor's bill against the estate of the late Mary A. Strubinger of Barry. The case is entitled John Weber vs. Carrie Dickason and others. Mr. Weber is receiver for the late Barry Exchange bank and Carrie Dickason and Olive Woolery are executrix of Mrs. Strubinger's ill. Prior to her death on Feb. 14, 1905, Mrs. Strubinger held stock and was a partner in the company which operated the Exchange bank, and Mr. Weber, the receiver, now seeks the aid of the court in applying the entire estate on the indebtedness of the banking company. The estate is estimated to be worth $30,000. Heirs of the estate will no doubt contest the matter, and the affair promises a lively fight in the courts.

GUILTY OF BOOTLEGGING.

Quincy—On her way to church with her little daughter by her side and a prayer book clasped in one hand, Mrs. Carrie Bright was arrested at Griggsville Monday evening by Deputy United States Marshall Elmer Grady on a charge of "bootlegging" and was brought to Quincy, where she pleaded guilty to the charge before Deputy United States Commissioner W. P. Martindale and was bound over to stand trial at the term of the federal court to be held in September.

LEAVING PIKE.

Bay's—About thirty of our citizens, part being from our village and a part from the surrounding country, left this week for Aurora, Neb., and vicinity. Among those who went to remain were: Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Carnes and children, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Moore and children, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Jefers and children, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Foreman and child, Mr. and Mrs. John Toland and sons Elmer and Dennis, and William Hill all go to Aurora, Neb., and R. E. Grammer to Pleasonton, Neb.

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INTERESTING LETTER
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Mrs. Sarah Kellogg of Denver, Color Bearer of the Woman's Relief Corps, Sends Thanks to Mrs. Pinkham.

Mrs. Sarah Kellogg

The following letter was written by Mrs. Kellogg, of 1628 Lincoln Ave., Denver, Col., to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass.:

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Near-Lamb Chops.

It has been discovered that meat marketmen can make a very clever imitation of lamb chops. The bones are kept in stock and the meat very cunningly pressed about them to look like chops. Then they are sold to customers for the real thing. Unless you are a critical observer you would not discover the deception.

This is an enterprising age, and yet the adulteration of foods has not reached its perfection point. There is room for improvement. With marketmen able to make lamb chops out of almost any old thing, we expect them to advance until they are able to build a steer from hoofs to horns, jointing him adroitly and padding out with left over meat scraps.—Boston Post.

Opium In the French Navy.

The French naval authorities, says the Paris Matin, are disquieted by the ravages of opium smoking among officers on duty at the seaports of Brest, Cherbourg, Lorient, Rochefort and Toulon. Many smoke from twenty to twenty-five pipes a day and evidently perform their duties in a perpetual drowse, acting by a sort of automatism and scarcely conscious. At Toulon especially the vice is making alarming ravages. Young officers are hardly seen at theaters or in society, but as soon as they can get off their uniforms they hasten to the dirty Chinese dens, where, stretched on coarse matting, they steep their brains in opium.

Australia's Empty Spaces.

Richard Arthur, M. P., president of the Immigration League of Australia, has been pointing out some startling facts in reference to the lack of population in the commonwealth. In the vast northern territory there are only 820 whites, or one inhabitant to every 700 square miles. The immense empty spaces, he says, cry out for population. The world has grown so small that the only solid title to any part of its surface is effective occupation. Modern methods of transit have brought the vast, unoccupied northern territory of Australia within easy reach of the teeming Asiatic peoples.

The Life Saving Service.

Several boats equipped with power have been built for the United States life saving service. One of these, the Rescue, has been delivered at Sandy Hook and already has proved that she is capable of doing excellent work. The boats are thirty-four feet long and fitted with gasoline engines. Heretofore it has not been possible for life saving men to go out in boats of this size unless there was a favorable wind to use their canvas, as the craft were too heavy to row any distance.

A Point In Military Etiquette.

It has always been a moot point in Austria as to how an officer ought to salute a brother officer when he has a lady on his arm. This delicate point, however, has now been settled by the issue of an official army order. In future if the lady is taking the arm of the officer, then he can and must give the salute with his left, but if, as a favorite custom is, the officer is taking the lady under the arm he has to disengage himself and salute regularly with his right.

Automobile Wheels.

Automobile wheels have an action upon roads quite different from those of a cart or carriage, says a writer in Red Cross Notes. Automobiles increase dust. They bite the road very hard or dig into it, acting more or less as a grindstone or marble cutter. The road is gradually dispersed as fine gravel. The wheels of a carriage, on the other hand, act in a conservative way on roadbeds.

Recreation From Golf.

Soon after being beaten at the recent election ex-Premier Balfour was on the links with some friends. One of his companions expressed his sorrow that Mr. Balfour would not have a seat in parliament. "Too bad," agreed the former prime minister. "I don't know what I'll do now for recreation from golf."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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What a friend we have in Jesus
All our trouble He will share,
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When we go to Him in prayer.
He is unlike all other friends
Whose favor we have to seek
For He has power to relieve
The suffering when they speak

Nor do we have to go from home
When we need His assistance,
And have to hunt and hunt for Him
Away off in the distance;
For He is ever close to us,
And our heart can always read.
And He knows of all our sorrow,
And the help we so much need.

And then we never have to wait
When we go to Him in prayer.
For He never is so busy
But He will attend us there.
And will kindly listen to us—
Listen to the heart's request—
And will always do for us
Whatsoever thing is best.

Then let us fully trust in Him,
Without doubt, and without fear,
And confide our trouble to Him.
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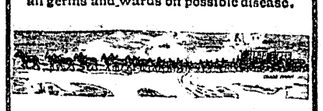

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Peoria (Sunday only) ..... 6:00 pm
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C. & A.—
For Kansas City ..... 9:12 am
For Kansas City ..... 9:22 pm
For Kansas City .....12:05 am
For St. Louis ..... 6:30 am
For St. Louis ..... 9:12 am
For St. Louis (ex. Sunday) ..... 3:55 pm
C., B. & Q.—
For St. Louis ..... 8:10 pm
GOING WEST.
Wabash—
Hannibal, Quincy-Kansas City ... 7:06 am
Hannibal, Quincy-Kansas City ... 7:51 pm
Decatur Accom. (ex. Sunday).....10:10 am
Kansas City Mail ..... 1:35 pm
GOING EAST.
Wabash—
For Toledo ..... 8:14 am
For Toledo ..... 3:50 pm
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Time of arrival of trains:
FROM NORTH.
C., P. & St. L. (daily) .....10:55 am
C., P. & St. L. (ex. Sunday) ..... 6:50 pm
C., P. & St. L., ac. (ex. Sunday).. 9:45 am
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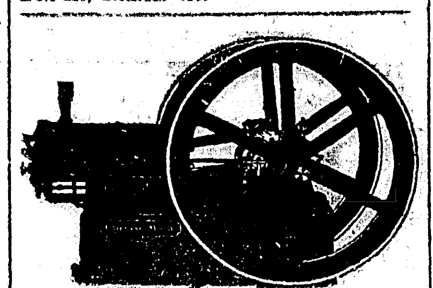

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THE MARKETS

Chicago, March 15.

Following is to day's range of grain prices compiled by Schauble-Oakes Commission company, 229½ West State street. 'Phones: Bell, 75; Illinois, 456.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing— Today.	Ystdy.
Wheat—					
May	$ .77⅝	$ .78⅛	$ .77⅝	$ .77¾	$ .77
July	.77½	.78	.77⅜	.77⅝	.77⅛
Corn—					
May	.43⅛	.43⅝	.43⅛	.43⅜	.43
July	.43⅝	.43⅞	.43⅜	.43⅝	.43⅛
Oats—					
May	.29⅝	.29⅞	.29⅝	.29⅞	.29¼
July	.28¾	.29	.28⅝	.28⅞	.28⅝
Pork—					
May	15.62½	15.85	15.60	15.82½	15.70
July	16.00	16.77½	15.52½	15.77½	16.65
Lard—					
May	7.80	7.85	7.80	7.85	7.80
July	7.92½	7.97½	7.90	7.97½	7.90
Ribs—					
May	8.30	8.42½	8.30	8.40	8.30
July	8.35	8.45	8.35	8.42½	8.35

DAILY MARKET LETTER.

Chicago, March 15.—Wheat—Wheat advanced 1c a bushel in a rather dull session. Covering by shorts, reports of a better flour demand and a light Argentine shipment influenced some buying for the long account. May proved the strongest, working from a discount of ⅛c under the July and the September to a premium of ⅛@¼c. The situation does not seem materially changed. There is a fair milling demand for No. 2 red and a little export demand for Manitoba wheat at a cheaper price than we can afford to sell. The market has had a pretty sharp decline and the universal bearish sentiment has possibly led to an oversold market. The weather map this morning showed more snow and higher temperatures than the forecast indicated for the next twenty-four hours.

Corn—The market proved firm for the bulk of the session, with a sharp advance on covering during the forenoon, prices easing off at the close. Shorts were induced to cover by the strength in wheat and an oversold pit conditions, and above all by the advance of 1@1½c in the sample market, where the offerings were inadequate. There is but a moderate demand for shipment and export. Argentine shipments for the week are estimated at but 180,000 bu. The decreasing amount on passage and light shipments may improve the export demand before long.

Oats — Oats proved very strong and steady at the advance in price, selling 1c bu. over the low price of yesterday. The liquidation seems to have been pretty general and over zealous bears were bulls to day. The sample market was firm at ¼@½c advance and the domestic demand is good.

Provisions—Moderat buying of provisions led by local packers gave this market a substantial advance and the closing was firm. The continued small hog movement and the improving cash trade will account for a turn of the packers. The current manufacture of product is hardly equal to consumption. This and present small stocks make the outlook bullish.

SCHAUBLE-OAKES COM. CO.

(By Associated Press.)

Chicago, March 15.—The following shows amount of grain received at and shipped from this point:

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	23,000	31,000
Wheat, bu	18,000	37,000
Corn, bu	131,000	264,000
Oats, bu	143,000	149,000

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK MARKET.

Chicago, March 15.—Cattle—eceipts, 5000. Trade was dull and at time almost inert, though prices did not show much change from yesterday's closing quotations. While sellers generally called the market steady, they found some trouble in disposing of even the light run of 5000. Cow stuff was active. Beeves, $4.00@6.40; cows and heifers, $1.60@5.25; stockers and feeders, $2.80@4.90.

Hogs—Receipts, 11,000. The demand was deplorably weak. Price levels, so far from showing any betterment, were as bad at the start as at the extreme close on the previous day. tale stock, the bane of the sellers, was again in heavy supply, nearly 12,000 being left unsold last night. Packers held the market in the bad rut into which it had dropped yesterday. The best hogs made $6.25. Mixed and butchers, $6.00@6.25; good to choice, heavy, $6.10@6.27½; rough heavy, $5.95@6.05; light, $6.05@6.22½; bulk of sales, $6.15@6.20; pigs, $5.50@6.05.

Sheep—Receipts, 12000. There was a good, strong and active market, with prices in many cases 10c above yesterday's levels reported by sheep sellers. Good sheep and lambs advanced, though the former showed more comparative strength than the latter. Sheep, $3.25@6.10; lambs, $5.00@6.90.

ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK MARKET.

St. Louis, March 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 2000. The market was steady to strong. Beef steers, $3.00@6.00; stockers and feeders, $2.25@4.50; cows and heifers, $2.20@5.00; Texas steers, $3.90@4.70.

Hogs—Receipts, 5000. The market was 10@15c higher; range, $5.40@6.30.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

Liverpool, March 15.—Wheat—Spot nominal.

Corn—Spot and American mixed new firm, at 4s 1d; American mixed old quiet, at 4s 7d.

NEW YORK MARKET.

New York, March 15.—Wheat—Receipts, 14,000 bu.; exports, 3000. Spot firm; No. 2 red, 84¾c elevator and 86½c f. o. b. afloat. Options closed ⅛@¼c net higher; May at 84¾c.

Corn—Receipts, 92,000 bu.; exports, 250,000. Spot steady; No. 2, 51c elevator and 47⅝c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow and No. 2 white, 48⅝c. Options closed ½c net higher; May, 49⅝c.

Oats—Receipts, 105,000 bu. Spot steady; mixed, 34½@34¾c; white, 35@36c; clipped white, 36½@38½c.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, March 15.—There was not sufficient motive power in the volume of transactions to day to give the upward movement of prices on the stock market much headway. Recovey was also impeded by continued liquidation in some of the public utilities stocks. The dullness of the market was so extreme as to leave trading absolutely idle for long periods. Closing quotations:

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Coupon 3s	103¾
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Coupon 4s, old	104¾
Registered 4s, new	131½
Coupon 4s, new	131½

NEW YORK STOKS, MARCH 15.

Report made by S. T. Erixon, Room 15, Hockenhull building. Illinois telephone, 450; Bell telephone, 602 Y.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amal. Copper	107⅛	108	107	107¾
American Sugar	139⅛	139½	138½	138⅞
Atchison	93⅞	93⅞	93⅛	93⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	110	110⅛	110	110
Brooklyn Rap. Tran.	85	85⅝	84⅝	84⅞
Canadian Pacific	169¾	169¾	169⅛	169½
Chesapeake & Ohio	56⅝	57	56¾	57
C., M. & St. Paul	175⅝	176	175⅝	175¾
Erie	42⅞	42⅞	42¼	42¼
Louisville & Nash	149	151¼	149	150¼
Illinois Central	171	...	...	...
Manhattan	159	...	...	...
Metropolitan	114¼	114¼	113	114
Missouri Pacific	99¼	99⅝	95	95
Mo., Kan. & Texas	71½	71½	71¼	71½
N. Y., Ont. & West	50¼	...	...	...
New York Central	147	147	146	146
Norfolk & Western	87½	...	...	...
Pennsylvania	137⅝	138	137⅝	137¾
People's Gas	96⅝	96⅝	94⅛	94⅞
Reading	127⅝	128⅜	126¾	127¾
Rock Island	26¼	26¼	26¼	26¼
Southern Pacific	66¼	66⅝	66	66
Southern Railway	40⅝	41⅛	40¼	41
Tenn. Coal & Iron	150	...	...	...
Texas Pacific	34¼	34¼	34	34
Union Pacific	152½	153¼	152¼	152½
U. S. Steel	40⅝	40⅝	40¼	40¼
U. S. Steel pfd	105¼	105½	105¼	105⅜
Wabash	23	23¼	22½	22½
Wabash pfd	51	51¼	51	51¼
Chicago Great West	20⅜	20⅞	20¾	20⅞

A LITTLE NONSENSE.

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"Here," said Mr. Tellitt when his wife was trying to insert the point of the scissors in the tight wrapper of a rolled magazine that had just been left by the postman; "here, that's no way to open that wrapper. Let me show you how it should be done, and after this you will have no more trouble. You go at it wrong. You shouldn't try to rip the wrapper down the smooth side of the package, but should just slip your finger in here where the ends of the pages show, and"—

He stuck his finger under the wrapper along the edge of the leaves, but only tore away about a quarter of an inch of it.

"This is tolerably tight," he muttered and took the scissors. "I'll work it this way. You see, the way you were *going* about it you would have torn the cover if not several of the leaves."

He pushed the scissors into the wrapper and began shoving, but the paper was tough, and the scissors slipped out after going about an inch. He tried it again, with no better luck. Mrs. Tellitt looked on with a well-why-don't-you-do-it expression, and Mr. Tellitt jabbed and jammed with the scissors, bringing away little scraps of the wrapper until finally he grew angry and stabbed the magazine with the weapon until he got one end free of the wrapper; then he seized the free leaves with both hands and ripped and tore the thing from the wrapper.

"There," he growled, handing his wife the fragments of the periodical; "there, if you had handed it to me in the beginning and hadn't started it to rip there wouldn't have been any damage done it. Next time either come straight to me with it or don't bother me about it at all."—Chicago Tribune.

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The Youngster—There's no doubt about it. I was cut out for an orator.

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"'I've Got My Eyes on You.'"—Detroit Tribune.

The Query Answered.

At a meeting of the Conservative candidate for Wood Green, London, H. W. Chatterton, a query was sent up which read, "Are you in favor of heating cemeteries with hot water pipes?" Much amusement was caused, but this increased to hilarity when the candidate replied, "You will have to wait until I get there before I answer that question."

For Number Two.

Towne—My sister was telling me that old Roxley's young widow is in "second mourning." What does that mean?

Browne—I think it means that she has modified her mourning just enough to let the men know she's ready for the second.—Philadelphia Press.

No Peace For Him.

Newitt—Your wife seems to get very angry if you interrupt her while she's talking.

Henpeck—My, yes! Why, she even gets mad if I interrupt her when she's snoring.—Catholic Standard and Times.

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"Wingle is the most fussy man I ever knew."

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INDICATIONS.

Washington, March 16.—For Illinois: Snow Friday and Saturday.

MATRIMONIAL

GRIFFIN-M'QUOWN.

Thursday at 1:45 p. m., at the parsonage of Centenary church, Chester A. Griffin, of Chapin, and Miss Minnie M. McQuown, of Jacksonville, were married by Rev. W. H. Wilder, D. D. The wedding was a private ceremony, only a few intimate friends being present. The groom is an upright, industrious young man and the bride is a young lady of fine character and every way worthy. She has been a member of the family of Dr. G. H. Sanford for a number of years and is most highly esteemed by her friends here.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Griffin left on the Decatur accomodation to visit friends for a few days in the vicinity of Orleans, after which they will remove to their home a few miles west of the city accompanied by the good wishes of numerous friends.

BARROW-TYRRELL.

John Barrow, of Carthage, and Miss Addie Tyrrell, of Hamilton, Ill., were married at Carthage Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, by the Rev. Mr. Yutza, pastor of the Lutheran church.

The groom is a butcher and is at present engaged in that business in Carthage.

Mr. and Mrs. Barrow came to Jacksonville last night and after a visit of a week or ten days with Mr. Barrow's grandmother, Mrs. Walls, of Superior avenue, they will return to Carthage, where they will reside.

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ATTACKED THE JAIL

Omaha, Neb., March 15.—A mob attacked the jail here in an effort to seize and lynch four holdup men confined therein. The mob was after four white men, who are charged with the murder of Nels Lausten, a saloonkeeper, while holding up his saloon, and three negroes charged with holding up a street car and killing the conductor. The mob battered the door of the jail down at 12:45 and some of their number entered the building. At this juncture about forty policemen arrived on the scene and within five minutes the mob had been driven from the jail grounds. The officers used their clubs on some of the members of the mob, but no arrests were made. The mob dispersed.

WRITS GRANTED.

Boise, Idaho, March 15.—Judge Beatty of the United States court this afternoon granted alternative writs of habeas corpus petitioned for by the attorneys for Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone. The writs were made returnable Monday morning, when the matter will be argued and submitted.

After adjournment of the Vincent St. John case until to-morrow, the court held a special session, dismissed the Idaho charges and turned St. John over to the Colorado officers, who left Caldwell with the prisoner before his attorneys were apprised of the hearing. St. John was accused of complicity in the murder of former Governor Steunenberg, but the grand jury refused to indict him. The Colorado authorities connect him with a murder during the labor troubles when he was president of the Miners' union at Telluride.

FRAUD CHARGED.

Louisville, Ky., March 15.—Charges of fraud and insolvency were made in a suit filed against the American Reserve Bond company of Chicago, asking for a receiver for the concern. Millions of dollars of investors all over the United States are involved in the suit, which was filed in the United States court by Levi Hauke and Mary E. Welch, investors in the company. The company is the largest and one of the few remaining of the numerous "bond investment" and "serial bond" investment companies which flourished extensively in many state for several years. It is charged that in merging with two other companies the Austin Land and Lumber company was formed, which exchanged 10,000 acres of land in Washington county, Missouri, for $500,000 worth of securities and stocks of the American Reserve Bond company, that the land in question is only worth $100,000 while the securities given in exchange for it by the bond company are worth $500,000. Other allegations of irregularities are made. The company immediately filed a cross suit claiming $50,000 damages because of the allegations made by plaintiffs in the suit for a receiver.

BILLIARD TOURNAMENT.

Chicago, March 15.—Edward Gardner of Passaic, N. J., and J. F. Poggenburg of New York, at the end of 10 nights play in the amateur billiard tournament were tied for first place, both players having won three games since the tournament started. Neither has lost a game. Poggenburg by his excellent work to day high run for the tournament so far, having made 112 in his game with Wright to day. He also made high average for the tournament in this game, 36.12.18.

A NEW TRIAL.

South Bend, Ind., March 15.—Thomas Edward Clark, alias "Red" Austin, wanted in Bloomington, Ill., Pontiac, Mich., and other cities for alleged confidence games, is to be brought back to South Bend for another trial, the appellate court to day reversing the decision sending him to prison for fourteen years.

DEATHS.

Des Moines, Iowa, March 15.—Judge L. G. Kline, Democratic member of the board of control of state institutions and one of the best known jurists in Iowa, died suddenly from heart failure to night. He was a member of the state supreme court prior to appointment on the board of control.

SIGNED FOR FIGHT.

Toledo, Ohio, March 15.—Articles of agreement insuring a fight between Jimmie Britt of San Francisco and Kid Herman of Chicago have been signed by both principals. The fight will occur the first week in May in Los Angeles.

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AFTER THE SELLER

Boy Bought Weapon of Quincy Dealer and Latter Will Be Brought to Account—Information to Be Filed.

States Attorney Sheets at noon yesterday stated that he expected to file an information against Charles Kessell, who keeps a store in the Occidental hotel building Thursday afternoon in the county court. The information will charge Kessell with selling a revolver and ammunition to a minor, the penalty for which is a fine ranging anywhere from $25 to $200.

The foregoing action is prompted by the testimony given in the police court Thursday morning that Harry Omer, whose name was erroneously given to the police as Harry Hummel and who was arrested by Patrolman Scharnhorst on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. Up to Thursday morning Omer, who is 17 years of age, had worked as a delivery boy for P. H. Meyer, the baker at 1036 Jefferson street. The boy had failed to cover his route as rapidly as his employer thought he should and when reprimanded he threatened to quit. Mr. Meyer thereupon informed him that he was out of a job and told him to come around Saturday for his wages. The boy wanted his money there and then and caused trouble. Mr. Meyer sent for the police. The boy left the store saying that he would fix Meyer. When arrested the revolver was found on the boy and he was arrested charged with carrying concealed weapons, instead of disturbing the peace, as was at first Mr. Meyer's intention.

In court Thursday morning Omer stated that he had purchased the revolver found on him from Charles Kessell, it being the second revolver he had purchased there. As the practice of carrying concealed deadly weapons is becoming too common in this city States Attorney Sheets decided to step in and take action against Kessell.

The Omer case was disposed of by a fine of $50 being imposed against him, but collection of the same was suspended during good behavior.—Quincy Journal.

GUESSING CONTEST ENDED.

The guessing contest at Armstrongs' drug store closed Thursday, and the prize of a ton of coal was awarded to A. W. Becker. His guess was 1,990 pieces, while a count showed that there were just 1,988. There were 1,800 guesses, which ranged from 35 to 41,000 pieces. The prize will be delivered upon Mr. Becker's order.

The guessing contest was held for the purpose of introducing the Spruce Gum Cough Syrup, and the requisite for the first guess was the purchase of one 25c bottle of this remedy.

AT THE GRAND.

"Midnight in Chinatown" was the bill put on at the Grand Thursday evening by the Rentfrow company, and an audience of fair proportions was present. The specialties as usual made the hit of the evening.

"Lord Baltimore" is the bill for to night.

Misses Catherine Kiloran, Nellie Anderson and Catherine Hoban have gone to St. Louis to visit with Miss Ione Rankin for a few days.

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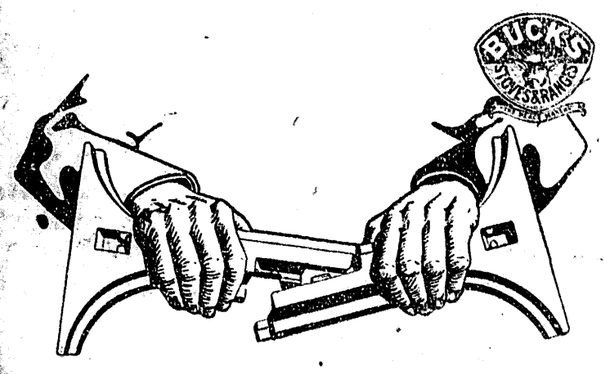

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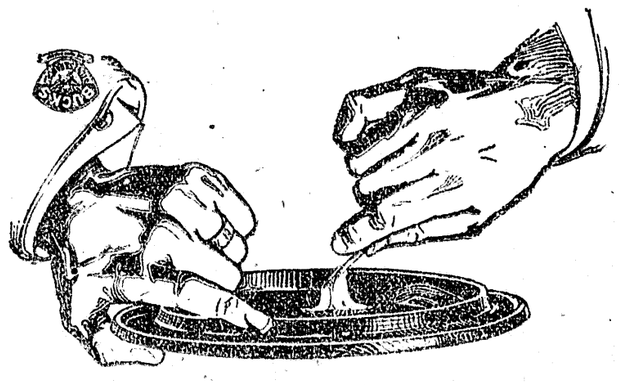

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